



Town of Surf City

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Hurricane Isaias Recovery Update August 4, 2020 - 1700

Current Known Impacts:

- Due to the impacts of Hurricane Isaias and high-water consumption; residents might experience low pressure or discolored water. If this is the case it is recommended that residents refrain from doing laundry until the discoloration dissipates. Dissipation will occur in 3 to 4 hours under normal use. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the utility department at 910-328-4131.
- Power outages widespread.
 - JOEMC – Approximately 1,814 local outages.
 - Duke Energy – Approximately 197 local outages.
 - Lift stations lost power throughout town; some areas will be without sewer.
- Trees and debris scattered all over.
- Road signs damaged or missing, please drive carefully.
- Structure fire at Surf Condos – 5 people displaced, 0 injuries.
- Some residential structure damages visible.
- Sand is blown all over vehicles, buildings, roads, and on property.

Town Crews Status:

- Removed trees and debris in the roadways.
- Removing sand from the roadways.
- Assessments of Town buildings completed.
- Public Beach Accesses have been inspected.
- Beach assessments completed, little or no sand loss on the beach based on observations.
- Water and sewer infrastructure repairs are being made.
- Staff working in conjunction with power companies.

Debris Status:

Town Administration is working on finalizing the details of collecting vegetative debris. Information will be put out as soon as its available.

Closures:

- None

Trash Pick-up:

- Changes to trash pick-up are:
 - Trash carts missed for Monday's island pick-up will be collected Friday. Please place trash carts out Thursday evening.
 - Tuesday island pick-up will be collected Wednesday, please place trash carts out Tuesday.
 - Wednesday mainland pick-up is running on normal schedule.
 - Friday second trash pick-up is running on normal schedule.

Other Information:

- No curfew is in effect.
- Town staff will be working throughout the week cleaning up and making repairs, please be patient and stay tuned for updates.
- Good news! Public Beach Accesses are all intact and now reopen.
- Public parks are reopened, playgrounds still closed due to COVID-19.
- Please report down lines and do not touch them.

